SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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Meetings scheduled for Thursday, April 30, 2009 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

MAY 5

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine ongoing efforts to combat piracy on the high seas.

SR-325

9:45 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Daniel B. Poneman, to be Deputy Secretary, David B. Sandalow, to Assistant Secretary for International Affairs and Domestic Policy. both of the Department of Energy, and Rhea S. Suh, to be Assistant Secretary. and Michael L. Connor, to be Commissioner of Reclamation, both of the Department of the Interior.

SD-366

10 a.m.

Finance

To hold hearings to examine expanding health care coverage.

SD-106

Joint Economic Committee

To hold hearings to examine the economic outlook.

SH-216

2:15 p.m.

Foreign Relations

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business.

S-116, Capitol

2:30 p.m.

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters.

S-407, Capitol

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine piracy on the high seas, focusing on protecting our ships, crews, and passengers.

SR-253

MAY 6

9:30 a.m.

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine regulating and resolving institutions considered to be too big to fail.

SD-538

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Roger W. Baker, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Information and Technology, William A. Gunn, of Virginia, to be General Counsel, Jose D. Riojas, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary for Operations, Security, and Preparedness, and John U. Sepulveda, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Human Resources, all of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

SR-418

10 a.m.

Judiciary

To hold an oversight hearing to examine the Department of Homeland Security.

2 p.m.

Aging

To hold hearings to examine solutions to stop Medicare and Medicaid fraud from hurting seniors and taxpayers.

SH-216

2:15 p.m.

Armed Services

Strategic Forces Subcommittee

To receive a closed briefing to examine space issues.

SVC-217

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Communications and Technology committee

To hold hearings to examine the future of journalism.

SR-253

Judiciary

Terrorism and Homeland Security Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the passport insurance process, focusing on ending fraud

SD-226

MAY 7

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the report of the Congressional Commission on the Strategic Posture of the United States.

SH-216

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions To hold hearings to examine pending nominations.

SD-430

Judiciary

Business meeting to consider S. 417, to enact a safe, fair, and responsible state secrets privilege Act, S. 257, to amend title 11, United States Code, to disallow certain claims resulting from high cost credit debts, S. 448 and H.R. 985, bills to maintain the free flow of information to the public by providing conditions for the federally compelled disclosure of information by certain persons connected with the news media, S. 327, to amend the Violence Against Women Act of 1994 and the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to improve assistance to domestic and sexual violence victims and provide for technical corrections.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Science and Space Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the consequences of a gap in human space flight.

10:30 a.m.

Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Krysta Harden, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary, Rajiv J. Shah, of Washington, to be Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics, and Dallas P. Tonsager, of South Dakota, to be Under Secretary for Rural Development, all of the Department of Agriculture.

SR-328A

2:30 p.m.

Appropriations

Legislative Branch Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2010 for the Office of the Architect of the Capitol, and the Office of Compliance.

SD-138

MAY 13

10 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation Competitiveness, Innovation, and Export Promotion Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine tourism in troubled times.

SR-253

MAY 21

9:30 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

Business meeting to markup pending legislation.

SR-418